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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A dry wiping product selected from the group consisting of facial tissue, bath tissue and paper towels, said product comprising a non-woven fibrous sheet having a dry sheet bulk of 2 cubic centimeters or greater per gram, said sheet containing a an aqueous solution of a deliquescent material and having an equilibrium moisture content of from about 10 to about 50 dry weight percent or greater, whereby the deliquescent material has absorbed a sufficient amount of moisture from the air to form a solution within the sheet.
2. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the non-woven fibrous sheet comprises cellulose papermaking fibers.
3. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the non-woven fibrous sheet comprises synthetic fibers.
4. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 2 to about 150 weight percent based on dry fiber.
5. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 2 to about 125 weight percent based on dry fiber.
6. (Cancelled)

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7. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 5 to about 100 weight percent based on dry fiber.
8. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 5 to about 75 weight percent based on dry fiber.
9. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 5 to about 50 weight percent based on dry fiber.
10. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 10 to about 50 weight percent based on dry fiber.

11.-16. (Cancelled)

17. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the equilibrium moisture content of the sheet is from about 15 to about 50 weight percent based on dry fiber.
18. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the equilibrium moisture content of the sheet is from about 20 to about 50 weight percent based on dry fiber.
19. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the deliquescent material is a salt selected from the group consisting of aluminates, calcium chloride, lithium chloride, sodium acetate, potassium acetate, ammonium acetate and trimethylamine n-oxide.
20. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the deliquescent material is lithium chloride.

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21. (Original) The product of claim 1 wherein the deliquescent material is calcium chloride.

22.-27. (Cancelled).

28. (New) A wet wipe product comprising an aqueous wetting solution and a non-woven fibrous sheet having a dry sheet bulk of 2 cubic centimeters or greater per gram, said aqueous wetting solution containing a deliquescent material and having an equilibrium moisture content of from about 30 to about 120 dry weight percent, whereby the deliquescent material retains moisture to prevent the wet wipe product from drying out prior to use.

29. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the non-woven fibrous sheet comprises cellulose papermaking fibers.

30. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the non-woven fibrous sheet comprises synthetic fibers.

31. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 2 to about 150 weight percent based on dry fiber.

32. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 2 to about 125 weight percent based on dry fiber.

33. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 3 to about 125 weight percent based on dry fiber.

34. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 5 to about 100 weight percent based on dry fiber.

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35. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 5 to about 75 weight percent based on dry fiber.
36. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 5 to about 50 weight percent based on dry fiber.
37. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the amount of the deliquescent material in the sheet is from about 10 to about 50 weight percent based on dry fiber.
38. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the equilibrium moisture content of the sheet is from about 50 to about 100 weight percent based on dry fiber.
39. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the equilibrium moisture content of the sheet is from about 50 to about 100 weight percent based on dry fiber.
40. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the deliquescent material is a salt selected from the group consisting of aluminates, calcium chloride, lithium chloride, sodium acetate, potassium acetate, ammonium acetate and trimethylamine n-oxide.
41. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the deliquescent material is lithium chloride.
42. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein the deliquescent material is calcium chloride.
43. (New) The product of claim 28 wherein said sheet contains a water-dispersible binder.